

Patent Application Transmittal

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Makoto SATO, Naoyuki SATO

entitled:

INFORMATION COMMUNICATION METHOD AND APPARATUS

The following are enclosed:

- ☒ Specification ( 26 pages)
- ☒ 19 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- ☒ 12 Claim(s) (including 2 independent claim(s))
- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim

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  - ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))


- ☒ Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate  
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<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>	<u>In</u>
11-246547	31 August 1999	Japan

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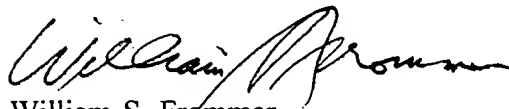
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Enclosed are papers constituting the above patent application which is being filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53 without a signed Declaration. Please accord a filing date and a serial number to such application and inform the undersigned thereof so that a signed Declaration and the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e) may be duly filed.

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